

EXPRESS MAIL CERTIFICATE (37 CFR 1.10)

Express Mail Label No. EV 831187449 US

Date of Deposit: July 16, 2010

I hereby certify that this paper, and the papers and/or fees referred to herein as transmitted, submitted or enclosed, are being deposited with the U.S. Postal Service "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee" service under 37 CFR § 1.10 on the date indicated above and is addressed to: MS RCE, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

Name: Jenny Papatolis Johnson

Signature My

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Suri, et al.

Serial No.: 10/576,971

Filing Date: April 25, 2006

Attorney Docket No.: 06-40079-US

Group Art Unit: 1625

Examiner: Mabry, John

TITLE: AN IMPROVED METHOD FOR

THE PREPARATION OF

MONTELUKAST ACID AND SODIUM

SALT THEREOF IN AMORPHOUS

FORM

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT

Sir:

This submission is responsive to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment (Part of Paper No./Mail Date 20100607) (herein referred to as "the Notice").

Listing of Claims begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 4 of this paper.

The one-month period to response is set to expire on July 16, 2010. Therefore, this Response is timely filed. Should a Petition for an Extension of Time be required, please consider this paper as a petition for such an extension of time. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees, which may be required by this paper, to Deposit Account No. 18-0586.